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SUBJECT: AMERICAN ART REPRODUCTIONS

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1. WE OF COURSE ARE INTERESTED IN STOIKOV'S BOOK; TO OUR KNOWLEDGE HIS PROJECT ON HISTORY OF AMERICAN ART IS UNIQUE IN BULGARIA. WE HAVE CONTACTED HIM TO OFFER ASSISTANCE AND TO DIRECT HIM TO LIBRARY OF UNION OF BULGARIAN ARTISTS, TO WHICH WE HAVE PRESENTED U.S. ART MUSEUM CATALOGS OBTAINED THROUGH USIA'S DESIGN COORDINATOR. STOIKOV'S PRIMARY DESIRE IS REPRODUCTIONS; HE HAS PROMISED TO SEND US LIST OF DESIRED REPRODUCTIONS, WHICH WE PRESUME IS SAME LIST CU HAS.

2. DOES PURCHASE OF SLIDES INCLUDE PUBLICATION RIGHTS? IF SO, CERTAINLY CU SHOULD PROVIDE BULGARIAN CULTURAL ATTACHE WITH INFORMATION IN REFTEL, PARA 2. BUT ARE BULGARIANS PREPARED TO PAY FOR SLIDES? IF NOT, WE PRESUME CU HAS NO FUNDS FOR THIS PURPOSE, AND OUR AGENCY (ICS) PRESENTATIONS ALLOCATION IS ALMOST EXHAUSTED.

3. IF NO OTHER SOURCE OF FUNDS AVAILABLE, WE WILL PROVIDE FY-1976 ID NUMBER FOR PURCHASE OF SLIDES AFTER JUNE 30. IN THAT CASE WE WOULD WANT THEM SENT
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TO US FOR DIRECT PRESENTATION TO STOIKOV. PLEASE

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